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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
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FOR: RECORDING AND PLAYBACK :  
APPARATUS, RECORDING AND  
PLAYBACK METHOD AND  
RECORDING MEDIUM

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 7, 2006, the period for reply being extended by the attached Request for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.